RICHMOND FOOTBALL CLUB

Founded 1884

Entered League 1908

Premiers V.F.A. 1902, 1905
Runners-Up 1901, 1903, 1904
Premiers V.F.L. 1920, 1921, 1932, 1934
Runners-Up: 1919-24-27-28-29-31-33

FIFTY-THIRD

ANNUAL REPORT

and

BALANCE SHEET

SEASON 1937

To be Presented to Members at the Annual Meeting to be held in the Richmond Town Hall on Wednesday, 9th February, 1938, at 8 p.m.

H. L. ROBERTS, President

J. J. SMITH, Secretary

OFFICE-BEARERS 1937

President: H. L. ROBERTS, Esq.

Vice-Presidents:

F. Donnelly, Esq.; ~~H. Dyke,~~ Esq.; B. D. Edmond, Esq.
W. H. Gosch, J.P., Esq.; W. S. Nutt, J.P. Esq.;
F. E. O'Brien, Esq.

Committee:

Messrs. H. Cox, A. Daws, A. Geddes, M. Hunter,
W. Maher, L. Langdon, and M. Sheahan.

Players' Representatives on Committee:

Messrs. M. Bolger, P. Bentley, and K. O'Neill.

Richmond Cricket Club's Representative on Committee:

Mr. W. Smith

Delegate to Richmond Cricket Club:

Mr. B. D. Edmond

Richmond League Seconds' Representative on Committee:

J. Joyce.

Victorian League Delegates:

Messrs. H. L. Roberts, J. J. Smith

Chairman of Committee: Mr. W. H. Gosch, J.P.

Hon. Solicitor: F. E. O'Brien, Esq.

Auditor:

W. J. Doig, Chartered Accountant (Aust.)

Hon. Medical Officer: Dr. D. Roseby

Hon. Dentist: Mr. G. Kermond

Playing Coach: Mr. P. Bentley

Timekeeper: Mr. W. Baker

OFFICE-BEARERS (Continued)

Captain: Mr. P. Bentley. **Vice-Captain:** Mr. J. Titus

Training Room Staff:

Messrs. R. G. Davall (head), L. Bolitho, C. McHutchison, M. Noble, H. McDonald, and M. Wishart

Door Steward: Mr. L. Cameron

Hon. Chiropodist: Mr. A. W. Rosier

Boot Studders: Messrs. T. Carswell, H. Vine

Property Steward: Mr. C. Callander

Players' Property Steward: Mr. A. Lewis

Selection Committee:

Messrs. H. L. Roberts (chairman), L. Langdon, M. Sheahan, Captain, Vice-Captain.

Finance Committee:

Messrs. F. E. O'Brien (chairman), H. Dyke, and W. S. Nutt, J.P.
Secretary, Treasurer.

Hon. Treasurer: Mr. J. D. Langdon (deceased), Mr. G. B. Smith.

Hon. Assistant Secretary: Mr. M. Sheahan

Hon. Social Secretary: Mr. L. Langdon.

Hon. Secretary:

Mr. J. J. Smith, 14 Leslie Street, Richmond. J 3797

INDUCE YOUR FRIENDS TO BECOME MEMBERS

NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICE-BEARERS, SEASON 1938

President:

*Mr. H. L. ROBERTS (unopposed).

Vice-Presidents (Six to be Elected):

Messrs. *Cr. F. DONNELLY, *B. D. EDMOND, J. M. FLEMING, *W. H. GOSCH, Cr. J. A. LOUGHNAN, *F. E. O'BRIEN, *W. S. NUTT, and J. A. WESTON.

Committee (Seven to be Elected):

Messrs. J. BOND, *A. DAWS, *A. GEDDES, *M. HUNTER, *L. LANGDON, P. LANGDON, *W. MAHER, *M. SHEAHAN, and D. WRIGHT.

Honorary Treasurer (One to be Elected):

Messrs. *G. SMITH and C. E. TURNER.

Honorary Secretary:

Mr. *J. J. SMITH (unopposed).

*Denotes Retiring Members.

PLAYERS IN PREMIERSHIP MATCHES, 1937

	First Played	Matches 1937	Matches Played
Bentley, P.	1925	18	210
Bolger, M.	1930	18	150
Bates, G.	1937	14	14
Broman, A.	1937	3	3
Crane, J.	1937	16	16
Chergwin, R.	1934	17	42
Cotter, J.	1935	16	35
Dickson, N.	1936	5	7
Dyer, J.	1931	17	89
Grant, G.	1936	19	20
Guinane, D.	1934	13	52
Harris, R.	1934	18	73
Hayes, G.	1936	12	16
Hull, I.	1936	12	28
Martin, R.	1930	13	109
Maple, A.	1937	3	3
O'Neill, K.	1930	19	150
O'Connell, M.	1937	2	2
Patton, M.	1936	3	4
Henderson, R.	1937	18	18
Sleeth, L.	1937	13	13
Symons, J.	1934	17	41
Smeaton, G.	1935	15	37
Scriven, R.	1935	13	33
Titus, J.	1926	19	187
Wells, W.	1936	13	23
Wilson, F.	1937	7	7
Uwins, J.	1937	6	6
Uwins, F.	1937	1	1

RICHMOND FOOTBALL CLUB

NOTICE OF MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING will be held in the Richmond Town Hall on Wednesday, 9th February, 1938, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS

1. Receive Annual Report and Balance Sheet.
2. Election of Office-bearers (if necessary).
3. Presentations.
4. General Business.

Members must present the 1937 Membership Ticket to secure admission to the meeting, and it must be presented to the Poll Clerk to secure a vote.

A Ballot will be taken, if necessary, in the Supper Room, Town Hall, on Wednesday, 9th February, 1938, the date of the Annual Meeting.

VOTING FROM 6.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Musical Programme arranged by Mr. Les Langdon

Returning Officer: Mr. Darlinson, State Electoral Officer.

J. J. SMITH, Hon. Secretary

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Committee of Management, 1937

To the Members of the Richmond Football Club.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

It is with pleasure that the Committee presents, for your approval, its Annual Report on the affairs of the Club for season 1937. Although we were not successful in winning the premiership, we did succeed in again being a member of the Victorian Football League's "final four," a coveted position your Club has held on ten occasions over the past eleven consecutive seasons—truly a remarkable performance. Your Committee is confident that its team-building effort in the past season will be reflected in the performance of the team in the coming season, and therefore the outlook for the future is bright.

The Committee appreciates the loyalty, co-operation, and determination of the players over a most difficult season. To gain inclusion in the "final four" was indeed a splendid effort when it is observed that the following players had either transferred or retired: G. Strang, B. McCormack, S. Judkins, J. Murdoch, M. Sheahan, D. Baxter, and B. Foster. The familiar cry "too old" therefore will doubtless be changed in the coming season to one of "too young."

The loss of the abovementioned players, together with the following players for several matches was most unfortunate: Guinane (6 matches), Smeaton (5), Martin (6), Wells (7), Bates (5), Cotter (3), Dyer (2), Bentley (1), and Harris (1). Owing to the many replacements that the selectors were compelled to make, your inexperienced team could ill afford the absence of prominent players. However, we managed to overcome most of our difficulties, and the experience gained by the younger members of your team should prove very helpful in the coming season.

The commencement of season 1937 will long be remembered. Your Committee, faced with a sequence of six consecutive defeats from the 1936 season, boldy selected practically a new team to oppose Melbourne in the opening match. Although soundly defeated, particularly in the first-half, the display in the second half was most pleasing and it was agreed that with match practice the juniors would eventually mould with the experienced players into a team worthy of the yellow and black guernsey and capable of upholding the prestige of the "Tigers."

After the Melbourne defeat, your team displayed encouraging form by winning four and a drawn game against South Melbourne out of the next five matches. The defeat at Hawthorn by two points was disappointing; however, the victory over Carlton demonstrated that at home we possessed a team capable of defeating the leaders. On the other hand, defeats at North Melbourne, St. Kilda, and Geelong proved that on visiting grounds the team was unable to reproduce their best form.

The most important achievement of the season was that only two teams were successful in kicking 100 points or over against your team, viz. St. Kilda 16.6 to 10.13) and Collingwood, in the semi-final, (18.12 to 10.9).

The re-juvenated "Tigers" recorded 100 points or over against the following: Geelong (premiers), 15.19 to 12.6; Melbourne (third), 15.12 to 13.10; South Melbourne, Fitzroy twice, Essendon, Footscray, and Carlton.

Members will observe that although the display of the team in the semi-final was perhaps disappointing, during the season many brilliant victories were enjoyed at the expense of the leading Clubs.

Your Committee feels that it had numerous difficulties to contend with during the season. The loss of players who had, in the past, held down "key positions" of centre half-forward, centre half-back, and full-back, while Basil McCormack, who had played 200 games, had to be replaced—a formidable task and one that we feel is practically impossible to achieve in one season. However, due to the brilliant form displayed by the experienced players, together with the steady improvement in the recruits, the summary of the season of 11 wins and one draw from 19 matches played should be satisfactory to members.

The happiest relationship exists between the new and old players. In fact, officials, players, and staff are a happy family striving as a whole in their respective spheres to place your team at the top of the premiership list of the Victorian Football League.

FINANCE

We are pleased to report on the sound financial position of the Club; indeed, it is the claim of your Committee that at present Richmond is the most financial Club in the Victorian Football League. For this happy state of affairs some credit is due to the Finance Committee, Messrs. F. E. O'Brien (chairman), H. Dyke, W. S. Nutt, Geo. Smith, Hon. Treasurer, and J. J. Smith, Hon. Secretary, for their economical and business methods of handling the Club's finance, and to the splendid effort of the ladies and gentlemen connected with the Queen Competition. Although we experienced a considerable drop in both membership ticket sales and gate receipts, your players were paid the full amount allowed by the

Coulter Law (viz., £3 per match) and a bonus of 10/- per match played for the season. Donations to junior clubs were increased by approximately £70 which your Committee is certain was wisely spent. The credit balance at the end of the season will be approximately £900 together with £300 loaned to the Richmond Cricket Club.

HONORARY TREASURER

Owing to the death of our beloved Treasurer, Mr. J. D. Langdon, your Committee appointed Mr. George Smith to fill the vacancy. The choice of the Committee proved a happy one, for Mr. Smith displayed enthusiasm in the discharge of his duties, and at the termination of his first year of office has the unique pleasure of presenting, for your approval, a record balance, proving that he is well qualified to fill the important position of Honorary Treasurer of your Club.

MEMBERSHIP TICKET SALES

It is distressing for your Committee to report on a continual falling off in the membership of your Club. Year after year your Committee strive successfully to maintain a team that is worthy of your support, and although your team is recognised as one of the best draw cards in the Victorian Football League and enjoys a full measure of support from the football public, the response to the appeal for members is most disheartening. Members should induce their friends to become members, and thereby assist your Committee to build up a membership worthy of Richmond. A low membership means low finance. Surely your players are worthy of consideration. Your Committee appeals for help—the position is serious. Resolve right now that the drift will stop, and thereby obviate the necessity of appealing to members for assistance in the form of Queen Competitions, etc. The membership ticket sales constitutes the life blood of your Club, therefore your support is needed to maintain a virile and vigorous organisation.

LEAGUE DELEGATES

The important office of Victorian Football League delegates was again entrusted to your President (Mr. H. L. Roberts) and J. J. Smith. Both gave a considerable amount of time to the administrative side of the game, and are deserving of your warmest thanks. The duties of a delegate has increased considerably over the past few years, the many meetings of sub-committees and conferences entailing almost daily attendance at headquarters. Members will be pleased to learn that Mr. Roberts continues to hold the confidence of League Delegates, who elected him again to the proud positions of Vice-President, Chairman of the Finance, Investigation, Grounds, and Second Rounds Proceeds Committees.

CONGRATULATIONS

To the Geelong Football Club we offer hearty congratulations on winning the coveted premiership for season 1937. The polished display in the grand-final was a treat to witness and proved conclusively that they were the best team in the Victorian Football League. The record crowd was rewarded with a splendid exhibition of our great game and much good for the game will result. It was a remarkable spectacle of two highly-trained and efficiently coached teams playing the game in the true spirit of sportsmanship—a credit to all concerned.

To Dick Reynolds, of the Essendon Football Club, for winning the highest honor of the Victorian Football League, the much sought after Brownlow Medal, we offer sincere congratulations.

To Collingwood and Melbourne, the other finalists, we extend our congratulations.

To George Smeaton, who has joined the large army of benedicts, we extend our good wishes to his wife and himself.

To Mr. W. H. Gosch and Mr. W. S. Nutt, Vice-Presidents of your Club, we extend sincere congratulations on their appointment to the position of Justice of the Peace. Both gentlemen are indeed worthy of the honor conferred, and will fill the position with dignity and satisfaction.

PRESIDENT'S GET-TOGETHER OUTING

Your President, Mr. H. L. Roberts, always keen to establish the true "Tiger" spirit in new players, again entertained players, officials, and staff to a day's outing at Mount Dandenong. The President's wish that an early meeting of all concerned with the management of your Club presents an opportunity particularly for the junior members of your team to become accustomed to each other and thereby building up a team spirit so essential to success. The party thoroughly enjoyed the hospitality of the "Pres.," and he was warmly thanked for his generosity. The success of the team this season was, in a degree, some compensation for an official, who spares neither his time or his money in an effort to re-establish your Club.

MR. C. ROBERTSON'S "SMOKO"

Mr. and Mrs. C. Robertson and family, ever ready to assist your Club, invited players, officials, and staff to a wind up "Smoko," at their home, the Duke of Wellington Hotel. The decorations and catering were supervised by "Robbie" and what a treat! In fact it was agreed that on this occasion the excellent fare in the past had been excelled. "Mine Host" as usual proved that to the "Tigers" only the best was good enough. Clarrie has

proved an excellent supporter and your Committee and players extend their sincere thanks for his kindly interest and may he long continue to be associated with the "Tigers."

SELECTION COMMITTEE

The members of this important Committee, Messrs. H. L. Roberts (Chairman), M. Sheahan, L. Langdon, J. Titus, and P. Bentley rendered excellent service to your Club this season. With the many retirements, transfers, and unforseen difficulties in the way of injuries, their task was indeed difficult to select a team with the necessary balance to re-establish the "Tigers" as a premiership possibility. How they succeeded is now well-known to all members. The success of the team is a tribute to their ability and some compensation for the many hours they devote in the interests of your Club. Although their task is at all times a thankless one, they enjoy the entire confidence of every player for their fair and fearless selections. The selectors at all times welcome constructive criticism.

CAPTAIN AND COACH

Perc. Bentley once again received the unanimous appointment of Coach, and his wonderful zeal and skill was reflected in the play of his team. Continuity of service seems to increase his enthusiasm. The improved form of this season's young players was indeed a compliment to a truly great "Tiger" in Perc., who, although commencing the season under adverse circumstances, gradually moulded the team into premiership contenders.

The popularity of the Committee's choice of Coach was confirmed by your players, who also unanimously elected Perc. as Captain, and Jack Titus Vice-Captain. Both these splendid clubmen proved excellent leaders. By their ability, loyalty and example they set a high standard of leadership and Club spirit, ever ready to assist and impart their advice. They enjoy the confidence of every player, old and new. One finds it almost impossible to conevy in mere words the gratitude of your Committee for the years of outstanding service to Perc. and jovial Jack.

PLAYERS TRANSFERRED

We are pleased to report that during the past season the demand for the services of Richmond players to act as coaches exceeded the expectations of your Committee, who were unable to supply the many applications to Country, Interstate, and Association Clubs. Your Committee esteem it a compliment that such a large number of clubs are constantly enquiring for the services of our sterling players. The training and discipline received as a playing member of the famous "Tigers" have fitted them to occupy the important position of coach to many

leading clubs with outstanding success. This season's batch is as follows:

Stan Judkins, Albury (premiers); Basil McCormack, Newtown, Tasmania (runners-up); Gordon Strang, Launceston (runners-up); Bert Foster, Sandringham; Joe Murdoch, Castlemaine. Your Committee is delighted with the success of the above mentioned players, and wish them further success with their new clubs. Eric Zschech, your talented centre-man, was successful in coaching the premiers of Tasmania.

QUEEN COMPETITION

Early in the season when your Committee discovered an unfortunate drift in the Membership Roll, they agreed to the suggestion of your Social Secretary (Mr. Les. Langdon) to organise a Queen Competition to augment the Club's depleted finances. It was evident that to re-establish your team a determined effort would have to be made to strengthen the financial side and thereby be in a position to meet the obligations of the Club for the current season.

Members well know the result, a record sum of £1,111/1/-, being raised, the reward of months of hard work. To adequately thank the splendid band of workers responsible it would occupy the whole of this season's annual report, therefore opportunity is taken to convey to each and all, together with the generous donors, your Committee's warmest thanks. It is to be hoped that the magnificient sum raised will sufficiently compensate all for the hard work necessary to achieve such a striking success. Your Club is now in a very solid financial position.

Your Committee, to appreciate the efforts of all connected with the competition, combined with Mr. Arthur Daws and arranged a Picure Night and supper at the Burnley Theatre, when your President (Mr. H. L. Roberts) thanked all concerned for their help and assistance. This proved a most enjoyable and happy function. The result of the Queen Competition was as follows:

Queen of Supporters, Mrs. Maurie Fleming, (Hon. Secretary, Maurie Fleming), £556/13/-.
Queen of Committee, Mrs. F. Donnelly (Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Daly), £283/8/3.
Queen of Players, Mrs. Jack Titus (Hon. Secretary, Morgan), £270/19/9.

The crowning of the winning Queen, which took place in the Richmond Town Hall, will be long remembered by those who witnessed the brilliant function. The proceeds of the crowning ceremony were donated to the Prince Henry Hospital Appeal—a generous gesture. Suitable presentations were made to the respective Queens by your Committee.

Although the success of the competition was due in the main to the abovementioned Queens and their respective committees, the ability and tact of the organiser (Les. Langdon) contributed in no small way to the ultimate success of the venture. Ever ready to arrange functions to obviate clashing of dates, Les enjoyed the confidence of the respective committees. It is indeed pleasing to report that his months of hard work were crowned with success.

The Ladies' Committee is to be commended for the amount of assistance they willingly rendered to the respective committees.

TRAINERS AND STAFF

Your Committee is grateful for the efficient service rendered by the training staff under the capable control of Mr. Bob Davall. This enthusiastic and hard working section of your Club is indeed responsible for a very creditable performance over the past few years. Owing to retirements the training staff is as follows: Messrs. M. Noble, Thurley, Bolitho, Wishart, McDonald, and McHutchison. During the season that great sportsman, Mr. Joe Watson, who has served your Club over a lengthy period, reluctantly retired, and to express some appreciation of his services Mr. Bruce Edmond, at the request of your Committee, arranged a presentation, which was made to Joe at the termination of the Geelong match at Geelong. A beautiful wireless was handed to Joe to remind him of his associations with the Richmond Football Club. Mr. Watson feelingly responded and expressed thanks to the several donors, and to Mr. Edmond for his efforts.

Year after year your Committee reports its warmest thanks to Mr. C. Callander, the Club's property steward, for the capable manner in which he controls the property of your Club. Charlie is indeed worthy of the compliment of being recognised as the players' friend and his services are much appreciated by every official, player, and member of the staff.

We should like to thank the following loyal officials: Messrs. Lou Cameron, Door Steward; T. Carswell and H. Vine, Bootstudders; A. Rosier, Chiropodist; Wal. Baker, Timekeeper; and his Assistant, W. Stansborough; Arthur King, Assistant Property Steward; A. Lewis, Players' Property Steward. Also those ladies and gentlemen who assisted in the sale of membership tickets.

Your Club is deeply indebted to Mr. Gordon Chivers, Masseur to your team, for his untiring and skilful attention to injured players. He was most satisfactory.

LONG SERVICE CERTIFICATES, PRESENTATIONS AND TROPHIES

At the Annual Meeting opportunity will be taken to present a trophy to Martin Bolger and Kevin O'Neill, two great clubmen, on their splendid achievement of playing

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Richmond Football Club — Receipts and Disbursements for Season 1937

RECEIPTS

To Balance E. S. & A. Bank Ltd.	£121 15 9		
Balance State Savings Bank of Victoria	7 10 7		
		£129	6 4
„ Membership Tickets—			
Adults, 2,738 at 8/4	£1,140 16 8		
Children, 60 at 5/-	15 0 0		
	£1,155 16 8		
Less amount outstanding	11 3 0		
	£1,144 13 8		
Less State Enter. Tax	£118 17 7		
Less Levy paid V.F.L.	73 3 6		
	192 1 1		
		952	12 7
„ Gate Receipts— At Home	Away		
Melbourne	£114 8 5		
Footscray £61 13 11			
Sth. Melb.	61 8 9		
Fitzroy 91 15 11			
Essendon	62 1 7		
Geelong 146 12 7			
Hawthorn	45 19 10		
Carlton 196 4 8			
Nth. Melb.	27 4 5		
Coll'gwood 139 5 6			
St. Kilda	38 17 2		
Melbourne 88 9 4			
Footscray	38 0 8		
Sth. Melb. [illegible] 10			
Fitzroy	63 3 8		
Essendon 71 17 9			
Geelong	62 2 4		
Hawthorn 100 0 0			
£1,007 16 6	£513 6 10		
Practice Matches 12 12 2			
£1,020 8 8	£513 6 10		
		1,533	15 6
„ Share of Proceeds V.F.L.—			
Finals £755 2 7			
Training Allowance S. Final 100 0 0			
	£855 2 7		
Less V.F.L. Levies, etc.	269 5 10		
		585	16 9
„ R.C.C. Share of Grand Stand Receipts	£190 11 6		
R.C.C.—776 members at 4/-	155 4 0		
		345	15 6
„ Donations—			
Sundry Persons	£53 12 6		
Social Com. £1,116 7 9			
Less Expens. 173 11 2			
	942 16 7		
		996	9 1
„ Broadcasting Fee		25	0 0
„ Interest Received—			
Loan R.C.C.	£12 0 0		
Interest Received— State Savings Bank	2 7		
		12	2 7
		£4,580	18 4

DISBURSEMENTS

By Allowances—			
Payments to Players, Sustenance, Etc.	£1,509 1 6		
Senior Coach	87 10 0		
Training & Boot Studders	319 6 6		
Medical & Masseur Fees	64 16 0		
		£1,980	14 0
Sundry Expenses—			
„ Annual Meeting, Reports, Etc.		59	12 0
„ Materials and Training Requisities, Etc.	£270 8 0		
„ Travelling Expenses and Car Hire	111 19 5		
„ Players' Insurance	137 5 0		
„ Refreshments	54 5 9		
„ Entertaining Players and Officials	52 4 3		
„ Ground Hire, Practice Matches	10 10 0		
„ Rain Insurance	26 18 0		
„ Secretarial Expenses	90 0 0		
„ Geelong match	26 14 0		
„ Printing, Stamps, Stationery, Etc.	54 19 3		
„ Telephone, Telegrams, Insurance, Etc.	41 8 3		
„ Repairs and Replacements	8 7 0		
„ Wreaths	13 2 0		
„ Audit Fees	8 8 0		
„ V.F.L. Delegates Fees and Registration of Players	3 4 6		
„ Bank Charges	3 14 0		
„ Miscellaneous Expenses	5 11 9		
		918	19 2
„ Honoraria [illegible]		217	5 0
„ Presentations and Donations—			
Players, Officials, Etc.	£91 6 1		
Junior Football Clubs	21 3 0		
		112	9 1
„ Advance to Player		6	0 0
„ Richmond Football Club 2nd XVIII		181	0 0
„ Richmond Football Club 3rd XVIII (Richmond District Football Club)		20	0 0
„ Schoolboy and Junior Football Club		11	8 7
„ Donation to Provident Fund		180	10 0
„ Fixed Deposit E. S. & A. Bank Ltd.		450	0 0
„ Balance at E. S. & A. Bank Ltd.		443	0 6
		£4,580	18 4

BALANCE SHEEET AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1937

LIABILITIES		ASSETS		
Loan from Trip Fund	£55 0 0	E. S. & A. Bank Ltd., Richmond—		
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	1,295 3 6	Fixed Deposit	£450 0 0	
		Current A/c. (Cr. Balance)	443 0 6	
				£893 0 6
		Sundry Debtors		17 3 0
		Loan (Richmond Cricket Club)		300 0 0
		Furniture, Fittings, Piano, Materials, Etc.	£150 0 0	
		Less Depreciation	10 0 0	
				140 0 0
	£1,350 3 6			£1,350 3 6

H. L. ROBERTS, President G. B. SMITH, Treasurer JOHN J. SMITH, Secretary

The President and Members, Richmond Football Club,
Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have to report that I have examined the Accounts and Transactions of your Club for the year ended 31st December, 1937. I have pleasure in certifying that, in my opinion, the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up and correctly sets forth the true position of the Richmond Football Club at the 31st December, 1937, according to the best of the information and explanations afforded me and shown by the books of the Club.

W. J. DOIG, Auditor
January 14, 1938. Chartered Accountant (Aust.)

TRIP AND ENTERTAINMENT FUND, SEASON 1937

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
To Balance State Savings Bank	£2 9 10	By Balance State Savings Bank	£2 10 6
„ Interest	8		
	£2 10 6		£2 10 6

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1937

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	£57 10 6	Amount owing from General Funds	£55 0 0
		Balance State Savings Bank	2 10 6
	£57 10 6		£57 10 6

Audited and found correct,
W. J. DOIG, Auditor, Chartered Accountant (Aust.).

PLAYERS' PROVIDENT FUND, SEASON 1937

RECEIPTS			DISBURSEMENTS		
To Balance State Savings Bank		£81 11 10	By Payments to Players—		
„ Interest—			A. Geddes	£60 14 1	
Fixed Deposit £400	£11 0 0		B. McCormack	27 18 11	
State Savings Bank	9 5		M. Sheahan	35 9 11	
		11 9 5	S. Dockendorff	6 15 11	
„ Donation—Richmond Football Club		180 10 0	J. McConchie	3 14 6	
					£134 13 4
			„ Balance State Savings Bank		138 17 11
		£273 11 3			£273 11 3

STATE OF PROVIDENT FUND AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1937

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
Excess of Assets over Liabilities available to meet Sundry Amounts credited	£538 17 11	Fixed Deposit E. S. & A. Bank, Richmond	£400 0 0
		Balance State Savings Bank	138 17 11
	£538 17 11		£538 17 11

JOHN J. SMITH, Honorary Secretary
18th January, 1938.

Audited and found correct,
W. J. DOIG, Auditor,
Chartered Accountant (Aust.).

MEMBERSHIP TICKETS, SEASON 1937

Sales—Adults	2,711	As issued by Printer—Adults	4,900
Unsold—Adults	2,022	As issued by Printer—Children	100
Sales—Scholars	60		
Unsold—Scholars	40		
Life Members, Donors, Etc.	140		
Amount Outstanding	27		
	5,000		5,000

in 150 games with your Club. They are deservedly popular with every "Tiger" supporter.

During the season Perc. Bentley joined the select band of players of your Club who played in 200 games. Perc's connection with Richmond has been very happy indeed. During his term of captaincy he has been successful in winning two premierships, a wonderful record, and one every Richmond boy should strive to emulate. Yet another champion to play in 100 games is Ray Martin, your polished rover. It is to be hoped he will continue for many seasons in the yellow and black uniform, which he has carried with distinction. What a collection of champions! Your officials would be delighted to have the pleasure of assuring you that this coming season we have replacements that will give such outstanding service as the abovementioned stalwarts. Both these players have received presents to commemorate their achievements.

PLAYERS IN REPRESENTATIVE MATCHES

In the Inter-State and Representative League matches played during the season our representatives were: Against South Australia, at Adelaide, Perc. Bentley (Captain); against the V.F.A., at St. Kilda, Jack Dyer and Dick Harris; in the Carnival Matches at Western Australia. Jack Dyer and Dick Harris. We desire to congratulate the players on their selection and for the excellent way in which they acquitted themselves in the matches in question. Jack Dyer and Dick Harris were awarded prizes for outstanding performances during the Carnival Games—a great compliment to your players and much appreciated by your Club.

OBITUARY

We regret to record the demise of the following during the season and to the sorrowing relatives we express our deepest regret: Mr. J. D. Langdon (Hon. Treasurer), Mr. H. Parkin (Hon. Treasurer V.F.L.), Mr. Bentley (father of Perc.), Messrs. W. Strang, B. Carkeek, Con Hickey, Cr. G. O'Connell, Ern. Bonnas, James (father of Hughie), and J. McKelson; Mesdames Davies and Cameron; and Misses Grant and Hughes (daughter of "Checker").

Your Committee mourn the loss of a treasured and valued official and friend in the death of our late Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Jos. Langdon. Respected by all who had been associated with him during his 12 years as Treasurer, your Club lost not only a capable official but a stalwart of our City, and one who contributed more than his share in the management of football, cricket, and lodge work. Jos. was indeed a true "Tiger," fearless and determined, but nevertheless generous to a fault.

TICKET SELLERS

We desire to convey our warmest thanks to the loyal band of workers who, year after year, serve your Club in the important position of disposing of membership tickets at the opening of the season. In their keen desire to help they deprive themselves the pleasure of witnessing a match for perhaps the first four matches of the season. Their loyalty and assistance is indeed a very valuable asset to your Club. This season, owing to the lamented death of Mr. J. D. Langdon, the writer was appointed ticket secretary and was therefore in a position to appreciate the help of the following gentlemen: Messrs. P. Langdon, A. V. Barwood, Roy Johnson, L. Gordon, A. Knight, and C. Turner.

RICHMOND CRICKET CLUB

We are pleased to report that this coming season members will enjoy better Grand Stand accommodation owing to the fact that the Richmond Cricket Club will spend a considerable sum on building a new stand for their members. The Cricket Club, in a desire to offer more space to football patrons, have agreed to hand over the whole of the old stand together with Committee rooms and administration offices. This will permit the training rooms being further extended and additional bathroom space for the players and visiting teams, and a room for umpires. Many desirable alterations will be made including embankments, etc., which, when completed, should be the equal of other League grounds. In all, it is estimated that the improvements will cost approximately £1,500. Your Committee has stressed the need for better accommodation for patrons for many years, and it is pleasing to report that the Cricket Club are now in a position to accede to our request. Members will be amazed to learn that since the 1926 season the following amounts have been spent on League ground improvements: Richmond, new stand, etc., £100,000; St. Kilda, £25,000; Collingwood, £14,000; and Carlton, £7,500.

It is the fervent wish of all that on completion of the improvements that both Richmond Cricket and Football Clubs will enjoy the honor of winning the coveted premiership pennant of their respective sports and so suitably commemorate this most important season in the history of the old ground.

The happiest relationship exists between the two bodies. Every consideration is given to any request that your Club makes. For this happy state of affairs we desire to express our appreciation, not only the executive officers of the Richmond Cricket Club, Mr. Geo. Langford, President, Perc. Maybury, Secretary, and Merv. Rankin, Hon. Treasurer, but all members of the General Committee.

The performance of the First Eleven at the time of writing is indeed outstanding, and after many years of disappointments we are hopeful of them winning the pennant this season.

RICHMOND SECOND EIGHTEEN ("CUBS")

The "Cubs" report a difficult year, owing to the frequent chopping and changing of their team. Due to the many experiments that the senior selectors were forced to make, they were unable to field a team with the necessary team balance that is now required. A team that has not a fair sprinkling of big men, particularly for key positions, has little chance when opposed to the leading teams in the Second Eighteen League. The dearth of big men in local junior teams is very evident, and is also one of grave concern to the Senior Club. After all, the Cubs are compelled to play all senior reserves, and unfortunately this season they were mostly on the small side, and definitely not enough around the six feet mark to ensure the success desired. However, if they were not successful in gaining a leading position on the premiership list, they were successful in materially assisting your senior club in attending to all local juniors and persuading them to practice and eventually take their place in the Cubs and thereby negotiate the first stepping stone to the ambition of all to don the famous "Tiger" regalia. A good service to your Club is being done by the officials of the Cubs, who are developing a true local spirit in all juniors and when the time arrives for promotion the ex-Cub becomes a splendid acquistion. The recent trio to make the grade are pleasing examples: Geoff. Grant, Geo. Smeaton, and Jack Cotter. The happiest relationship exists with your Committee and this is as it should be—it could be truthfully stated that both Committees are one big organisation endeavoring to place the "Tigers" ever in the forefront.

As usual the social side was well looked after, and the week-end at Daylesford proved a most enjoyable and happy conclusion to the season. Your Committee made available a suitable donation to assist in financing the trip, which reflected great credit to all concerned. The generous and sporting gesture of Mr. Ben Alexander (President) to engender greater enthusiasm in junior players and senior reserves, invited players, officials, and staff to a day's outing in the snow and what an outing it proved to be! Ben was deservedly thanked for his kindly action. Allan Geddes was again appointed captain and coach and carried out his duties with enthusiasm and thoroughness, ever ready to impart his great knowledge and experience to budding "Tigers." He is doing his share to fill the replacements in your team.

Your Committee sincerely thank the following officials: Mr. Ben Alexander (President), Jim Cook (Hon. Secretary), Herb. Cox (Hon. Treasurer), and members of the Committee and Staff for the valuable assistance rendered in the past season.

PREMIERS OF THE V.J.F.L.

We are pleased to report that yet another local team was successful in winning the premiership of the V.J.F.L. This season the coveted honor will go to South

Richmond, hearty congratulations! The victory of South Richmond was indeed a tribute to the hard working band of officials, who, under extreme difficulties, succeeded beyond the expectations of even their most optimistic supporters. To the other local V.J.F.L. Clubs: Richmond City, Burnley, Richmond Amateurs, we offer congratulations. Also to Richmond All Blacks in winning the premiership of the V.J.F.L. Junior Section. The performance of all local juniors this season was most satisfactory and should eventually react to the benefit of the Senior Club.

Your Committee again desires to express their appreciation to the officials of all junior clubs for the excellent services they are rendering to our game. During the season an open invitation was extended to all junior clubs to make your club-room their head-quarters, also to offer the services of our training staff for any injured players. The happiest feeling exists between your Committee and the junior clubs of the District and it is to be hoped that this happy state of affairs will long continue. Donations were made to the above clubs, also to Mr. Eddy's two teams.

RICHMOND DISTRICTS

Although we are not in a position to report a premiership pennant for the Districts, we are pleased to report the improved position on the premiership list, just missing a place in the coveted four. A lapse of form in the middle of the season deprived them of a real chance of annexing the premiership. The form displayed in the latter games definitely proved that, when in form and at full strength, they were equal to the best teams in the competition. The inter-change of players with the Cubs proved that a working basis will eventually be evolved that will be satisfactory. This desired arrangement will require a deal of give and take spirit, which we are certain the Clubs concerned will apply.

Your Committee acceded to the request of the Districts for an increase in their annual donation, with the hope that they will enjoy a most successful season in 1938.

Your Committee appreciates the services of the following officials: Cr. W. Williams (President), Mr. C. Lightfoot (Hon. Secretary), and members of the Committee and staff for the valuable work so successfully performed.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL CURTAIN RAISERS

Your Committee in an endeavor to supply the best possible entertainment to members decided this season to change over from the school boy competition to older lads with complete satisfaction. Your Committee sponsored two teams under 18 years and under 16 years, the games played were both interesting and entertaining and reflected great credit on the Coach and Manager appointed by your Committee. The manly and sportsmanlike spirit in which the lads entered into the spirit of the

games was much appreciated by all, who thoroughly enjoyed our great game played as is should be. In short, the conduct of the lads was splendid and it is to be hoped that in the near future the curtain-raiser boy will be a full-fledged "Tiger," the ambition of everyone who is now donning the yellow and black uniform.

The work of Mr. Gerald Delaney, as Coach and Manager, was much appreciated by your Committee, and the band of lads under his care, displayed a thorough knowledge of the finer points of the game, that were imparted to them by Gerry, who, for years, has done yeoman service to the juniors of Richmond. A suitable presentation has been made to him.

APPRECIATION

To Dr. D. Roseby (Club's Medical Officer) and Mr. Garnet Kermond (Hon. Dentist) we express sincere thanks for their untiring efforts in providing excellent and skilled attention to our injured players.

To Mr. Frank O'Brien (Hon. Solicitor), who is ever willing to offer his legal services to your Club, we offer sincere thanks. Frank's services to your Club both on the field and as an administrator has proved very valuable.

To Mr. George Provan, who sportingly donated 10/- to each player who played in three matches during the season, amounting to £13/10/-, we offer thanks. Mr. Provan's gesture was much appreciated by the players concerned.

We cannot refrain from drawing the attention of members to the remarkable forward advances made by the Victorian Football League. The publicity given to the game by the broadcasting of club news on Friday evenings by stations 3KZ, 3XY, and 3DB, undoubtedly increased attendances and the large attendance at the Grand Final proving that the M.C.G., although considered to be the finest ground in the world, is still unable to accommodate football crowds for the Health Department has threatened legal action for over crowding. A compliment to the game. The V.F.L. and particularly Mr. H. L. McBrien (Secretary), who is ever ready at all times to assist, by his advice, those who are entrusted with the management of our great game.

Your Committee is indebted to Messrs. Geo Smith (Treasurer), Mr. M. Sheahan (Assistant Secretary), and Mr. Les Langdon (Social Secretary) for valuable services rendered throughout the year.

The Club is deeply indebted to Mr. B. Edmond, for his assistance in placing players in employment. Mr. W. Mintern is also heartily thanked for his help in this direction. Your Committee would appreciate the assistance of members in helping in the employment of players; this is most important. "An ounce of help is worth a ton of criticism."

DONATIONS FOR SEASON 1937

Carlton and United Breweries, £5/5/-; Mr. G. Whitlock, £5/5/-; Bryant and May, £5/5/-; Mr. Syd. Sherrin, £5; Mr. Carroll, £3/3/-; Mr. Syd Sherrin, Special Appeal, £2/2/-; Mr. Jones, £2/2/-; Mr. C. Robertson, £2/2/-; Maples, Swan Street, £2/2/-; Marchants and Co., £2/2/-; Mr. O. Shilton, £2; Mr. L. Arthur, £1/1/-; Mr. Fred Hesse, £1/1/-; Rosella Preserving Co., £1/1/-; Pelaco Ltd., £1/1/-; Smith, Mitchell and Co., £1/1/-; Hon. J. H. Scullin, £1/1/-; J. Parson, £1/1/-; Mr. W. Halliday, £1/1/-; Mr. W. Horsfall, £1/1/-; Preservene Soap Co., £1/1/-; James Dickson and Co., £1/1/-; Mr. Mick Kanis, £1/1/-; Burnley Picture Theatre, £1/1/-; Mr. W. Fowler, £1/1/-; Mr. P. J. O'Connor, £1/1/-; Dimmey's Stores, 10/6; Mr. Geo. Reaby, 10/-; Mr. Colin Daff, 9/-. Total, £53/12/6.

DONORS OF SPECIAL PRIZES

Mr. J. Jones' Trophy, Best and Fairest, J. Dyer; Mr. Geo. Farnesworth's Engraved Gold Medal, Most Consistant, J. Cotter; Mr. J. Bond's Trophy, Best First Year Player, G. Bates; Mr. C. Robertson's Trophy, R. Harris; Major Conder's Trophy, J. Titus; Mr. M. Kanis' Cup, Special, J. Titus; Mr. W. Cuddon's Trophy, Best Player in Semi-Final, D. Guinane; Bond's Tailoring Co's., Swan Street, Suit, Made-to-Measure, R. Harris; D. Wright, several 10/- to players during the season. Mr. Jack Jones, Plated Shaving Mugs and Brushes, to P. Bentley, R. Harris, and J. Dyer, also several guineas to players for outstanding performances; Col. Wallis, £4/4/- to players for outstanding efforts. Prizes during the season were evenly divided, practically every player participated in the generosity of the abovementioned supporters.

DONORS

The Club desires to record its sincere thanks to the many donors, who, year after year, by their cheques, trophies, and goods, assist to lighten the burden of finance by their generosity. The Committee acknowledge with thanks the various amounts and goods received and trust that the Club will merit the honor of their continued support.

GENERAL

A. Maple won the R.F.C. Cup for the Best and Fairest Player for the Cubs last season.

Vice-President W. Nutt defrayed the expenses of a Players' Meeting Pie Night, which proved to be a happy function.

Martin Bolger and Kevin O'Neill have now played 150 games for Richmond.

Thanks were extended to visiting trainers from Hawthorn Club for assisting to train the "Tigers" for the Semi-Final match.

ADDENDUM

It is with pleasure that once again I have cause to express appreciation of the loyalty to myself and excellent services rendered to the Club by officials, players, and staff. The Hon. Secretary (Mr. J. J. Smith, Hon. Treasurer (Mr. G. Smith), Hon. Social Secretary (Mr. L. Langdon), and Hon. Assistant Secretary (Mr. M. Sheahan) are all commended for the manner in which they carried out their important duties.

H. L. ROBERTS, President

ATTENDANCES AT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

(19 Meetings)

H. L. Roberts, 18; W. H. Gosch, 17; H. Dyke, 7; F. O'Brien, 19; F. Donnelly, 8; B. Edmond, 16; W. S. Nutt, 15; A. Daws, 13; A. Geddes, 17; M. Hunter, 16; Les. Langdon, 19; M. Sheahan, 19; W. Maher, 15; H. Cox, leave of absence (illness), 9; J. Joyce, 14; Cubs' representative, W. Smith, 12; R.C.C. representative, 15; Players' representatives: K. O'Neill, 12; M. Bolger, 12; P. Bentley, 9; Geo. Smith, 19; and J. J. Smith, 19.

Finance Committee (Meetings held, 9): F. E. O'Brien (Chairman), 9; H. Dyke, 7; W. S. Nutt, 8; Geo. Smith, 9; and J. J. Smith, 9.

Selection Committee (26 Meetings): H. L. Roberts (Chairman), 25; M. Sheahan, 26; Les Langdon, 26; P. Bentley, 26; J. Titus, 26.

RESULT OF MATCHES PLAYED BY RICHMOND SINCE JOINING THE VICTORIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Against	Won	Lost	Tied	Pl'yd
Carlton	24	44	—	67
Collingwood	21	44	1	66
Essendon	29	23	1	53
Fitzroy	30	28	—	58
Footscray	18	4	—	22
Geelong	32	27	2	61
Hawthorn	22	2	—	24
Melbourne	31	19	1	51
North Melbourne	18	2	—	20
South Melbourne	26	32	1	59
St. Kilda	34	14	—	48
	285	239	6	530

RESULTS OF MATCHES, 1937

First Round

Date	Richmond Versus	Result	Rich. Score G.	B.	Pts.	Oppon. Score G.	B.	Pts.
April 24	Melbourne	Lost	9	12	66	14	8	92
May 1	Footscray	Won	17	15	117	12	11	83
" 8	Sth. Melb.	Drawn	11	15	81	11	15	81
" 15	Fitzroy	Won	17	10	112	12	12	81
" 22	Essendon	Won	17	13	115	8	15	63
" 29	Geelong	Won	15	19	109	12	6	78
June 5	Hawthorn	Lost	8	10	58	9	6	88
" 12	Carlton	Won	14	24	108	13	19	97
" 19	Nth. Melb.	Lost	11	11	77	12	16	88
" 26	Coll'gwood	Lost	12	8	80	14	9	93
July 3	St. Kilda	Lost	10	13	73	16	6	102
" 10	Melbourne	Won	15	12	102	13	10	88
" 17	Footscray	Won	12	6	78	11	9	75
" 24	Sth. Melb.	Won	16	23	119	13	11	89
" 31	Fitzroy	Won	15	13	103	11	13	79
August 7	Essendon	Won	13	15	93	12	19	91
" 21	Geelong	Lost	8	11	59	14	6	90
" 28	Hawthorn	Won	14	13	97	13	14	92
			234	243	1647	207	195	1437

Second Round

Sept. 4	Coll'gwood	Lost	10	9	69	18	12	120
			244	252	1716	225	207	1557

Summary: Played 19 matches. Won 11, Lost 7, Drawn 1.

GOALKICKERS, SEASON 1937

	1937	1936		1937	1936
J. Titus	65	83	R. Chergwin	2	1
R. Harris	65	46	R. Scriven	2	—
P. Bentley	30	24	F. Uwins	1	—
J. Symons	16	3	F. Wilson	1	—
L. Sleeth	14	—	N. Dickson	1	2
J. Dyer	10	8	G. Hayes	1	2
R. Martin	10	17	D. Baxter	—	21
I. Hull	7	4	B. Foster	—	11
G. Smeaton	5	3	K. O'Neill	—	6
G. Bates	4	—	M. Patton	—	3
R. Henderson	4	—	J. Wells	—	2
G. Grant	3	—	C. Jordon	—	2
A. Maple	3	—	M. Bolger	—	1
			Total	244	239

In 1934 J. Titus kicked 80 goals and Dick Harris 51. In 1935 J. Titus kicked 83 goals and D. Harris 42.

J. Titus, during his twelve seasons with your Club, has kicked 573 goals.

R. Harris' performance in kicking 204 goals in four seasons, and sharing the roving with Ray Martin, is indeed remarkable.

5, 10, 15-YEAR PLAYERS.

15 Years.

1923—H. James. 1924—V. Thorp (16 years).

10 Years.

1918—H. James. 1919—V. Thorp, B. V. Herbert, P. Maybury, S. Reeves. 1921—C. H. Hall. 1923—F. V. Hughes. 1924—F. Harley. 1926—J. Smith, D. Don.

1934—P. Bentley, A. Geddes, B. McCormack, T. O'Halloran.

1935—J. Titus.

1936—J. Murdoch.

5 Years.

1913—H. James, E. Ohlsen, W. Mahoney, R. Bowden, G. Gibson. 1914—P. Maybury, B. V. Herbert, V. Thorp, F. McCashney, F. Love, S. Reeves. 1916—D. J. Moffatt, C. H. Hall. 1918—A. J. Bettles, R. T. Hede, F. V. Hughes. 1919—H. Allessio, L. Burke, A. Danks, F. Harley, E. Keggin, W. Thomas. 1920—G. Bayliss, 1921—M. Hislop, D. Don, J. Smith, R. Weatherill. 1923—G. Weatherill. 1924—F. Huggard, J. Karthaus, N. McIntosh, D. Minogue, E. Taylor. 1925—M. Morris. 1926—D. Hayes. 1927—A. McIsaac, G. Rudolph. 1929—B. McCormack, A. Geddes, P. Bentley, T. O'Halloran, D. Lynch. 1930—R. Empey, D. Harris, J. Titus, H. Weidner, K. Millar. 1931—J. Baggott, J. Murdoch, C. Watson. 1932—W. Benton, B. Foster, S. Judkins. 1933—M. Hunter, M. Sheahan. 1934—M. Bolger, E. Zschech, K. O'Neill. 1935—J. Dyer, R. Martin, G. and D. Strang,

LIFE MEMBERS.

The Club's Life Membership List is as follows:—J. Charles, 1885; J. Eastman (deceased), 1896; J. J. Stewart, 1897; A. Elder (deceased), 1898; J. H. Egan (deceased), 1899; W. Malone (deceased), 1900; W. J. Bicknell (deceased), 1902; C. Backhouse (deceased), 1904; A. McNair, 1905; G. R. P. Beachcroft, 1906; A. Edmonds, 1908; A. A. Manzie, 1909; C. Whitaker (deceased), 1910; J. H. Archer, W. A. Maybury (deceased), 1912; A. Tietgens, 1914; G. McIntosh (deceased), 1915; J. H. James, 1915; R. T. Kelly, W. H. Lohse, 1916; B. V. Herbert, P. H. Maybury, 1917; S. W. Reeves, V. C. Thorp, 1919; C. H. Hall, D. Henry, 1920; A. Aarons, T. Delaney, 1921; A. J. Bettles, B. Goodwin, 1922; F. V. Hughes, A. Wood (deceased), 1923; F. Harley, J. Watson, 1924; E. J. Fayle (deceased), O. Mitchell (deceased), 1925; D. Don, J. Smith, 1926; H. Dyke, E. Taylor, 1927; D. Hayes, R. J. Stanley, (deceased), 1928; W. H. Gosch, H. L. Roberts, 1929; W. J. T. Higginbotham, J. J. Smith, 1930; J. D. Langdon, P. Page, 1931; W. Baker, B. D. Edmond, 1932; H. Cox, L. Cameron, 1933; P. Bentley, A. Geddes, T. O'Halloran, B. McCormack, 1934; F. O'Brien, J. Titus, 1935; J. Murdoch, 1937.

CLUB OFFICIALS AND ACHIEVEMENTS SINCE ADMISSION TO LEAGUE

Year	President	Secretary	Treasurer	Captain	Highest Goal Kicker	For Gls.	For Bhds.	Against Gls.	Against Bhds.	Psn.
1908	G. H. Bennett M.L.A.	A. Manzie	A. McNair	C. Pannam R. Condon	W. Bourke (24)	128	172	178	207	Ninth
1909	F. G. Tudor	"	"	J. Lawson	W. Bourke (20)	112	153	179	209	Eighth
1910	M.H.R.	"	"	W. Schmidt	M. Maguire (20)	127	175	121	186	Seventh
1911	"	"	"	L. Incigneri	M. Maguire (29)	122	199	138	193	Eighth
1912	"	G. P. Beachcroft	J. McDermott	E. Ohlsen	E. Keggin (24)	115	173	184	229	Ninth
1913	"	W. H. Lohse	J. H. Archer	H. James	P. Martyn (32)	143	176	150	190	Seventh
1914	"	"	"	W. Thomas	C. Hall (32)	143	226	143	219	Eighth
1915	"	"	"	"	C. Hall (25)	126	150	158	216	Sixth
1916	"	"	"	"	P. Martyn (22)	120	139	131	170	Fourth
1917	"	W. A. Maybury	"	P. H. Maybury	C. Fehring (14)	104	138	127	192	Sixth
1918	"	"	"	C. H. Hall	D. Don (19)	96	176	117	155	Sixth
1919	A. Wood	"	"	W. Thomas	D. Don (31)	172	251	148	210	Run's-up
1920	"	"	"	D. T. Minogue	G. Bayliss (63)	202	223	143	154	Premiers
1921	"	"	A. Aarons	"	G. Bayliss (53)	188	222	149	226	Premiers
1922	"	"	"	"	G. Bayliss (32)	146	163	154	204	Fifth
1923	"	"	"	"	D. Fraser (18)	121	180	156	202	Eighth
1924	J. H. Archer	P. Page	"	"	M. Morris (44)	172	259	169	222	Run's-up
1925	"	"	J. D. Langdon	"	M. Morris (25)	132	189	158	183	Seventh
1926	"	"	"	M. Morris	D. Lynch (31)	186	261	214	211	Seventh
1927	"	"	"	A. Geddes	J. Baggott (37)	218	270	164	219	Run's-up
1928	"	"	"	"	J. Baggott (61)	253	303	195	218	Run's-up
1929	"	"	"	C. Lilburne	J. Titus (54)	277	311	235	220	Run's-up
1930	"	"	"	A. Geddes	J. Titus (50)	214	257	175	207	Fourth
1931	"	"	"	M. Hunter	D. Strang (68)	247	292	174	243	Run's-up
1932	B. V. Herbert	J. J. Smith	"	P. Bentley	D. Strang (49)	242	290	174	244	Premiers
1933	"	"	"	"	D. Strang (51)	281	249	206	241	Run's-up
1934	"	"	"	"	J. Titus (80)	266	284	206	235	Premiers
1935	"	"	"	"	J. Titus (83)	253	245	215	247	Third
1936	H. L. Roberts	"	"	"	J. Titus (83)	239	239	225	200	Fifth
1937	"	"	G. B. Smith	"	J. Titus (65)	244	252	225	207	Fourth
					Totals :	5389	6617	5111	6259	

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